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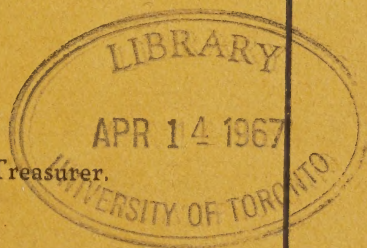
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# MARCH MEETING

SIMCOE, ONT.,

March 2nd, 1948.

Minutes of the regular March Session of Norfolk County Council, held this 2nd day of March, 1948.

Council called to order at 10.00 A.M., the Warden, Harold Boughner, presiding.

Roll called; All the members present except Mr. Clarence Rusling, Deputy Reeve of the Township of Townsend.

Minutes of the last days of the January Session were read and confirmed.

The following communications were read:

County of Elgin, Opposing American Trucks on Ontario Highways.

County of Peel, Asking amendment to The Registry Act.

County of Grey, Asking excess profits tax be reimposed and income tax exemptions be increased.

County of Grey, Asking feed prices be set to correspond with advanced prices of livestock.

County of Grey, Asking that Grain Exchange in Canada be closed.

County of Waterloo, Asking that Trustees of School Areas be paid.

County of Huron, Asking that doctors pay a fee for indigents in hospitals.

Norfolk County Chamber of Commerce, Asking County Council to consider purchasing lake-shore property for park purposes.



Committee on Lake-shore Erosion, Asking for delegates to attend meeting.

Department of Lands and Forests, Acknowledging resolution.

University of Western Ontario, Thanking Council for grant.

Department of Agriculture, Thanking Norfolk for co-operation in weed control.

Soldiers' Memorial Hospital, Thanking Council for grant.

Moved by Mr. Schooley. Seconded by Mr. Malcolm: That the communications as read be referred to the following:

County of Elgin, County of Peel, County of Grey (3), County of Waterloo, County of Huron, Norfolk County Chamber of Commerce, Committee on Lake Shore erosion—To the Committee of the Whole.

Department of Lands and Forests, University of Western Ontario, Department of Agriculture, Soldiers' Memorial Hospital—To be filed. Carried.

The County Assessor addressed the Council in regard to the 1948 Assessment Roll and drew to their attention that there was no provision for extension of time for return of these rolls after November 1st, and asked that a resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Municipal Affairs asking for this provision.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Jaques: Whereas eight of the thirteen municipalities of the County of Norfolk have not returned their Assessment Rolls for 1948 within the time as set out in the Assessment Act, and

Whereas there is no provision in the Assessment Act where-by such rolls can be validly returned;

Therefore the County Council of the County of Norfolk petitions the Minister of Municipal Affairs, praying that section 36 subsection 1 of the Act to amend the Assessment Act as passed by the Legislature of Ontario in the year 1947 be re-worded and re-enacted so that the return of Assessment Rolls on which taxes may be levied for 1948 may be validated.

And that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Chas. H. Martin, M.L.A. for the Riding of Haldimand-Norfolk. Carried.

Mr. Stickney gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords, introduce a By-Law to amend By-Law No. 856.

A delegation was introduced to the Council from the Norfolk Federation of Agriculture.

Mr. Chas. L. Hall addressed the Council in regard to the Canadian Appeal for Children Fund, and introduced Mr. Guy Helsden.

Mr. Helsdon addressed the Council pointing out the need of the support for this Fund.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Moore: That the request of the Federation of Agriculture be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Mr. Ravin read the Report of the Charity and Welfare Committee.

Moved by Mr. Ravin, Seconded by Mr. Chamberlain: That the Report of the Charity and Welfare Committee be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Mr. Anderson read the Report of the Agricultural Committee.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Buchner: That the Report of the Agricultural Committee be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Mr. Buchner read the Report of the General Administration Committee.

Moved by Mr. Buchner, Seconded by Mr. Birdsall: That the Report of the General Administration Committee be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Mr. Anderson read the Report of the Administration of Justice Committee.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Buchner: That the Report of the Administration of Justice Committee be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.



Moved by Mr. Jamieson, Seconded by Mr. Anderson: That this Council do now go into the Committee of the Whole to consider the various matters referred thereto. Carried.

Council went into the Committee of the Whole at 11.20 a.m.

Council resumed its sittings at 11.53 a.m.

Moved by Mr. Oakes, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That this Council do now adjourn to meet again at 3.00 P.M. Carried.

Council adjourned at 11.55 A.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 3.10 P.M.

Mr. Moore gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords introduce a By-Law to fix the salary of Guy R. Marston, County Road Superintendent.

Moved by Mr. Moore, Seconded by Mr. Schooley: That the By-Law governing procedure in notice of By-Laws be waived to permit a By-Law to be introduced fixing the salary of Guy R. Marston. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Schooley, Seconded by Mr. Jaques: Resolved that the request regarding the townline between Townsend and Windham from Concession 1 to Concession 7 being included in the County Road System be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Moore, Seconded by Mr. Jaques: That a grant of \$3,032.73 be made to the Norfolk Federation of Agriculture for the Canadian Appeal for Children Fund. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Jaques, Seconded by Mr. Ravin: That the County Councillors be paid \$8.00 per day and 05c per mile for attending all Council and Committee meetings. This to take effect from and including this meeting.

And that the Warden be granted \$200.00 at the expiration of his year's duty. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Quance, Seconded by Mr. Chamberlain: That



Mr. Claude Ravin be appointed the Norfolk County representative to the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital Board in Tillsonburg for the year 1948. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Backus, Seconded by Mr. Gamble: That a Committee be appointed to make arrangements for a Banquet to celebrate the termination of the Norfolk County debenture debt. This Committee to be composed of The Warden, Guy R. Marston, Wm. R. Anderson, James Moore and Claude Ravin. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Buchner, Seconded by Mr. Birdsall: That the road from Talbot Street at part of Plank Road to Highway No. 3 be considered as a part of the County Road System, and this be referred to the Road Committee. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Oakes: That the road from Forestville, East to Five Corners of Turkey Point Road be considered by the Road Committee as part of the County Road System and also the Vittoria Bridge. Carried.

Mr. Anderson read the Report of the Finance Committee.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Moore: That the Report of the Finance Committee be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Lefler: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to amend By-Law No. 856. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Holden, Seconded by Mr. Stickney: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Jaques, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That the said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Malcolm, Seconded by Mr. Stickney: That the said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Moore, Seconded by Mr. Chamberlain: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to fix the salary of Guy R. Marston, Carried.

Moved by Mr. Ravin, Seconded by Mr. Jamieson: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Quance, Seconded by Mr. Buchner: That the said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Birdsall, Seconded by Mr. Hanselman: That the said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Jamieson, Seconded by Mr. Anderson: That this Council do now go into the Committee of the Whole to consider the various matters referred thereto. Carried.

Council went into the Committee of the Whole at 3.30 P.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 4.10 P.M.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to amend By-Law No. 856 without amendment.

Moved by Mr. Jaques, Seconded by Mr. Schooley: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Oakes: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed and Numbered 882.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to fix the salary of Guy R. Marston without amendment.



Moved by Mr. Hanselman, Seconded by Mr. Gamble: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Gamble, Seconded by Mr. Backus: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed, and Numbered 883.

Mr. Hanselman read the Report of the Committee of the Whole.

Moved by Mr. Hanselman, Seconded by Mr. Quance: That the Report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Moore: That the County Council drive the County Road System on April 28th and 29th. Carried.

Mr. Marston addressed the Council thanking them for his increase in salary.

Moved by Mr. Oakes, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That this Council do now adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, May 4th, 1948, at 10.00 A.M. Carried.

Council adjourned accordingly at 4.40 P.M.

Confirmed in open Council this 4th day of May, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER. Warden.

## *Report of The Charity and Welfare Committee.*

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To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: We, your Charity and Welfare Committee, met in the Committee Room on February 4, 1948, and beg leave to report as follows:

### **GENERAL**

1.—We recommend that the difference between the actual cost, based on the per diem rate, less recoveries, and the amount raised for wards of the Norfolk Children's Aid Society, be given to the Society at the end of the year.

### **COUNTY HOME**

The Sub-Committee on County Home recommend:

1.—That the old washing-machine be repaired and a new one purchased for the staff, at a cost of \$350.00.

2.—That new stationary tubs be purchased, at a cost of \$40.00.

3.—That a new plastic top table for the kitchen be purchased, and two tables in the men's dining-room be repaired, at a cost of \$125.00.

4.—That the cellar be whitewashed; the men's washroom ceiling be repaired; four bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, and private pantry be painted, at a cost of \$250.00.

5.—The office and Miss Spencer's bedroom be redecorated at a cost of \$60.00.

6.—That the old fire hose be replaced, at a cost of \$135.00.

7.—That the attic of the main building be insulated, at a cost of \$350.00.

8.—That \$800.00 be set aside to paint the main building.

9.—That a root cellar be constructed, at a cost of \$300.00.

10.—That 250 baby chicks be purchased, at a cost of \$37.00.

11.—That some young pigs be purchased, at a cost of \$75.00.



We find that there will be needed for the Charity and Welfare Committee for 1948, the following:

	Dr.	Cr.
Child Welfare—Norfolk .....	34,000.00	
Outside Norfolk ..	4,000.00	
Sundry .....	550.00	
Hospitals .....	12,000.00	6,000.00
County Home—Buildings .....	2,800.00	
Supplies .....	1,000.00	
Food .....	6,500.00	6,500.00
Clothing .....	900.00	
Farm .....	3,500.00	200.00
General .....	8,000.00	5,000.00
Fuel and Power ..	2,250.00	
Medical, etc. ....	1,600.00	
Industrial Schools .....	1,600.00	
Old Age Pensions and Mothers' Allowance.....	650.00	
Grants .....	22,000.00	
Total .....	101,350.00	17,700.00
Net .....		83,650.00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CLAUDE RAVIN, Chairman.  
R. S. CHAMBERLAIN.  
A. F. GAMBLE.  
J. A. PITMAN.  
HOBERT LEFLER.

## *Report of The Agriculture Committee.*

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: We, your Agriculture Committee, met in the office of the Norfolk Agricultural Representative on February 7, 1948, and beg leave to report as follows:

### GENERAL

We recommend:

1.—That an expression of appreciation be extended to Mr. G. G. Bramhill for the very efficient services which he has rendered to this County.

2.—That another appeal be made to the Health of Animals Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture for another T.B. Test of Cattle in Norfolk County under the Accredited Area Plan.

3.—That, whereas under existing regulations there is no uniformity in the collection of fees to finance the Federation of Agriculture, we, the Agricultural Committee of the Norfolk County Council, suggest that Township Councils be empowered to collect from one-fifth to one-half a mill from their municipalities on all assessments for Federation of Agriculture fees, and that payment be not optional as at present.

### GRANTS.

We recommend the following grants be made:

1.—Norfolk Poultry and Pet Stock Association	200.00
2.—Norfolk Junior Farmers, Boys' Club.....	200.00
3.—Norfolk Junior Farmers, Girls' Club .....	100.00
4.—Long Point Junior Farmers' Club .....	100.00
5.—Norfolk Plowmen's Association .....	400.00
6.—North Norfolk Women's Institute .....	25.00
7.—South Norfolk Women's Institute .....	25.00
8.—Ontario Agricultural College Scholarship ..	100.00
9.—Norfolk Holstein Breeders' Association ....	100.00
10.—Brant-Norfolk Jersey Club .....	50.00
11.—Norfolk Crop Improvement Association ....	200.00
12.—Norfolk County Chamber of Commerce ....	1,000.00
13.—Norfolk Agricultural Representative, (statutory) .....	500.00

Total .....\$ 3,000.00



We find that there will be needed for the Agricultural Committee for 1948 the following:

	Dr.	Cr.
Inspection, Plant Diseases Act .....	2,000.00	400.00
Inspection, Weed Control Act .....	1,000.00	500.00
Grants .....	3,000.00	
Contingencies .....	200.00	
Total .....	6,200.00	900.00
Net .....		5,300.00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. R. ANDERSON, Chairman.  
JOHN MALCOLM.  
M. R. STICKNEY.  
CHAS. J. SCHOOLEY.  
GORDON W. OAKES.  
B. C. BUCHNER.

## *Report of The General Administration Committee.*

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the  
County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: We, your General Administration Committee  
met in the Committee Room on February 10th, 1948, and beg  
leave to report as follows:

### REGISTRY OFFICE.

1.—We recommend that book cabinets be purchased, at a  
cost of \$800.00.

2.—That the two front rooms and floors be painted, at a  
cost of \$100.00.

3.—That the outside of the building be painted, at a  
cost of \$150.00.

4.—That \$1,000.00 be included to purchase stationery.

### COUNTY BUILDING.

1.—We recommend that the interior of the building be  
painted, at a cost of \$125.00.

Your Committee find that there will be needed for General  
Administration for 1948, the following:

	Dr.	Cr.
Council Indemnities .....	2,000.00	
Committee Indemnities .....	2,500.00	
Delegates .....	1,000.00	
Interest .....	3,800.00	
Licenses .....		500.00
County Assessor .....	4,000.00	
County Office .....	1,100.00	
Printing, Postage, etc. ....	1,000.00	40.00
Reforestation .....	7,000.00	
Registry Office .....	2,800.00	2,000.00
Salaries and Allowances .....	7,460.00	

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Sundry Grants	1,000.00	
Sundry	2,050.00	925.00
Wolf and Fox Bounties	3,000.00	
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Total	38,710.00	3,465.00
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Net		35,245.00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

B. C. BUCHNER, Chairman.  
CHAS. BIRDSALL.  
F. A. QUANCE.  
J. W. HOLDEN.  
M. R. STICKNEY.  
A. JAMIESON.



## **Report of The Administration of Justice Committee.**

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To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Administration of Justice Committee met in the Committee Room on January 29, 1948, and beg leave to report as follows:

### **GENERAL**

1.—We recommend that the salaries of the County Police be increased to \$2,340.00 per annum and mileage allowance be increased to .08c per mile, this to take effect from January 1st, 1948.

### **COURT HOUSE**

1.—We recommend that a new heavy duty vacuum cleaner be purchased, at a cost of \$140.00.

2.—That the Magistrate's Office be repainted, at a cost of \$20.00.

3.—That the floor of the Court Room, Council Room, Grand Jury Room, the North Upstair Hall, North Stair Landing, and the Hall of the Main Floor be covered with a good grade of Linoleum, at an estimated cost of \$1,500.00.

4.—That shelves be built in the Council Chamber to hold the printed Minute Books, at an estimated cost of \$35.00.

5.—That humidifiers be installed in the radiators, at an estimated cost of \$100.00.

6.—That fluorescent lights be installed in the Sheriff's and Magistrate's Office, at an estimated cost of \$350.00.

7.—That Flashing, Eavetrough, Snow Guard and Flag Pole be purchased, at an estimated cost of \$500.00.

8.—That four Venetian Blinds be installed in the Police Office, and Magistrate's Office, at an estimated cost of \$80.00.

9.—That the gate in the Court Yard be repaired, at a cost of \$100.00.

10.—That the steam pipes to the County Building and Registry Office be run directly from the boiler and a control valve on the Court House system be installed, at an estimated cost of \$400.00.

### JAIL

1.—We recommend that the Jailer's Office Floor be covered, at an estimated cost of \$115.00.

2.—That three rooms in the residence be repapered, at an estimated cost of \$75.00.

3.—That the alarm bell system be extended and the present lights in the cells be replaced by ceiling light, at an estimated cost of \$125.00.

4.—That \$75.00 be set aside for purchasing paint.

Your Committee find that there will be needed for the cost of Administration of Justice for 1948, the following:

	Dr.	Cr.
Auditors, Criminal Justice .....	150.00	
Criminal Justice, rebates .....		4,000.00
Court House, Maintenance .....	3,800.00	
Constables .....	350.00	
General .....	4,500.00	
Crown Attorney and Clerk of Peace .....	3,000.00	
Crown Witnesses .....	2,500.00	
Division Courts .....	50.00	15.00
Fines .....		1,000.00
Jail Building .....	1,000.00	
General .....	1,800.00	
Prisoners .....	1,800.00	
Salaries .....	9,000.00	
Inquests, Coroners, Examination ..	500.00	
Juries .....	2,500.00	
Juvenile Court .....	4,000.00	
Police .....	7,000.00	1,000.00
Police Court .....	1,200.00	
Sheriff and Clerk of County Court..	3,000.00	
Total .....	46,150.00	6,015.00
Net .....		40,135.00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. R. ANDERSON, Chairman.  
A. JAKUES.  
CHAS. BIRDSALL.  
F. A. QUANCE.  
B. C. BUCHNER.  
J. A. PITMAN.

## ***Report of The Finance Committee.***

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee recommend the following:

### **GENERAL**

That the Finance Committee meet at an early date to survey the Insurance on the County Buildings and make adjustments where it is deemed necessary.

### **ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.**

We recommend that the following estimates as reported by the Standing Committee be increased, due to the difference between the estimated and actual cost:

Court House Maintenance,	
from .....	\$3,800.00 to \$ 4,300.00
Jail Salaries, from .....	9,000.00 to 10,000.00
Total Increase .....	\$ 1,500.00

### **CHARITY AND WELFARE.**

We recommend that the following estimates as reported by the Standing Committee be increased, due to the difference between the estimated and actual cost:

Grants, from .....	\$22,000.00 to \$25,032.73
Total Increase .....	\$ 3,032.73

Your Finance Committee fixed the estimates for the year 1948 as follows:

For General Purposes .....	\$82,180.00
From Surplus .....	3,329.02
Total .....	\$78,850.98 a mill rate of 2.6
For Charity and Welfare .....	86,682.73
From Surplus .....	1,766.29
Total .....	84,916.44 a mill rate of 2.8
For Debentures .....	10,192.85
From Surplus .....	33.21
	10,159.64 a mill rate of .35



For Highways .....	156,472.85	
From Machinery Reserve ..	20,000.00	
	<u>136,472.85</u>	a mill rate of 4.5
Total Levy .....	310,399.91	<u>10.25</u>

We recommend that the amount to be raised for Education be included in the Budget when the Educational Committee pass their accounts.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. R. ANDERSON, Chairman.  
JAS. MOORE.  
B. C. BUCHNER.  
CLAUDE RAVIN.  
O. H. BACKUS.  
A. JAKUES.

## *Report of The Committee of The Whole.*

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To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee of the Whole begs leave to report as follows:

That a grant of \$3,032.73 be made to Norfolk Federation of Agriculture for the Canadian Appeal for Children Fund.

That the Report of the Charity and Welfare Committee be adopted and the total amount be referred to the Finance Committee.

That the Report of the Agricultural Committee be adopted and the total amount be referred to the Finance Committee.

That the report of the General Administration Committee be adopted and the total amount referred to the Finance Committee.

That the Report of the Administration of Justice Committee be adopted, and the total amount be referred to the Finance Committee.

Resolution from the County of Peel was adopted to apply to the Ontario Legislature to have Chapter 170, Section 104, of the Registry Act, 1937 Statutes, clarified or amended.

Resolution from Elgin County was adopted as being very much opposed to the operation over our highways, of American trucks carrying bonded merchandise between borders in the Province of Ontario.

Resolution from the County of Grey was adopted, that the Dominion Government be requested to reimpose the Collection of 50% Excess Profit Tax; and that the exemption for Income Tax purposes be raised from \$750.00 to \$1,500.00 for single persons, and from \$1,500.00 to \$3,000.00 for married persons.

Resolution from the County of Grey was adopted requesting the Federal Government that feed prices be set as of the date corresponding with the coming into effect of the advanced prices for livestock.

Resolution from the County of Grey was adopted that a resolution be forwarded to the Federal Minister of Agriculture

requesting that the Grain Exchanges in Canada be closed forthwith.

Resolution from the County of Waterloo was adopted, recommending to the Honourable the Minister of Education, that provision be made for the remuneration of Trustees of Township School Areas.

No action taken on the Resolution from the County of Huron empowering Hospital Boards to collect a fee per patient day from each doctor of 25c.

A Resolution that a Committee be appointed, consisting of Chairman of Agriculture Committee as Chairman of this Committee, the Warden, and the Reeves of Woodhouse, Charlotteville, and Houghton Townships as members, to work with Norfolk Chamber of Commerce to look into the matter of Lake Shore Park properties.

Resolution carried that the Warden and County Road Superintendent be delegates to attend the meeting in Toronto on March 10th, called to discuss Lake Shore erosion.

No action taken on the question of By-Law No. 99.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN C. HANSELMAN, Chairman.



# MAY MEETING

SIMCOE, ONTARIO,

May 4, 1948.

Minutes of the regular May Session of Norfolk County Council, held this 4th day of May, 1948.

Council called to order at 10.00 A.M., the Warden, Harold Boughner, presiding.

Roll called; All the members present except Mr. J. A. Pitman, Reeve of the Village of Port Rowan.

Minutes of the March Session were read and confirmed.

The following communications were read:

Canadian Deaf Scholarship Appeal, Asking for a grant.

University of Western Ontario, Asking for membership on Senate and inviting the Council to visit the University.

Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, Asking that 50% of County Assessor costs be paid by Province and giving Province right to approve appointment and termination of County Assessor services.

County of Essex, Asking Government to pay more for Childrens' Aid.

County of Peel, Asking that fixed assessments not apply in figuring County equalization.

Norfolk Peach Growers' Association, Asking lower assessment on peach orchards.

Norfolk General Hospital, Thanking Council for grant.

Department of Highways, Approving By-law No. 883.

Children's Aid Society, Clearing up matter of County Council appointments to Board.

Department of Lands and Forests, Approving By-Law No. 882.

Department of Municipal Affairs, Acknowledging resolution of County Council.

Constable A. Robb, Reporting on Reforestation plot fire.

Moved by Mr. Schooley, Seconded by Mr. Malcolm: That the communications as read be referred to the following: Canadian Deaf Scholarship Appeal, University of Western Ontario, United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, County of Essex, County of Peel, Norfolk County Peach Growers' Association, Constable Al. Robb—To the Committee of the Whole.

Norfolk General Hospital, Department of Highways, Children's Aid Society, Department of Lands and Forests, Department of Municipal Affairs—To be filed. Carried.

Mr. Stickney gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords introduce a By-Law to authorize an application to The Department of Municipal Affairs to extend the time for making the report of the County Assessor; for the examination of the Assessment Rolls for the purpose of equalization; for the passing of an Equalization By-Law, and for the disposition of an Equalization Appeal (if any).

Mr. Anderson gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords introduce a By-Law to regulate and control the granting of public money to various organizations.

Mr. Anderson gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords introduce a By-Law to provide ways and means to carry on the public service of the County of Norfolk for the year 1948.

Mr. Moore read the Report of the County Road Committee.

Moved by Mr. Moore, Seconded by Mr. Hanselman: That the report of the Road Committee be adopted. Carried.

Mr. Backus read the Report of the Educational Committee.

Moved by Mr. Backus, Seconded by Mr. Gamble: That the

Report of the Educational Committee be adopted. Carried.

Mr. Backus read the Supplementary Report of the Educational Committee.

Moved by Mr. Backus, seconded by Mr. Gamble: That the Supplementary Report of the Educational Committee be adopted. Carried.

Mr. Anderson read the Report of the Finance Committee.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Backus: That the Report of the Finance Committee be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

The Warden introduced a delegation from the Norfolk General Hospital.

Mr. Harold Jackson addressed the Council, showing the financial condition of the Hospital.

Dr. F. A. Procnier addressed the Council, showing the congested condition of the Hospital and suggesting to the Council that an addition should be built on the County Home to take care in indigent patients.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Rusling: That the request of the Norfolk General Hospital to establish a wing for patients at the County Home, be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Mr. Elmer McConnell addressed the Council in connection with the Corn Borer Inspection and stated a good clean-up will be made this year. In connection with the Weed Control, he reported on the Convention in Toronto and assured the Council an effort would be made to have a good control this year, with the co-operation of the Municipalities.

The County Assessor addressed the Council asking for an extension of time to make his report to the Council for Equalization purposes and showing an alternative system for equalizing at a later date.

Moved by Mr. Oakes, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That this Council do now adjourn to meet again at 2.00 P.M. Carried.



Council adjourned at 11.55 A.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 2.05 P.M.

A communication from the Canadian Appeal for Children, asking that their grant be paid now by discounting, was read.

Moved by Mr. Malcolm, Seconded by Mr. Jaques: That the communication from the Canadian Appeal for Children be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rusling, Seconded by Mr. Anderson; That the request of the County Weed Inspector for co-operation of the Council, be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to authorize an application to The Department of Municipal Affairs to extend the time for making the Report of the County Assessor; for the examination of the Assessment Rolls for the purpose of equalization; for the passing of an Equalization By-Law and for the disposition of an Equalization Appeal (if any). Carried.

Moved by Mr. Holden, Seconded by Mr. Jaques: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Schooley, Seconded by Mr. Lefler: That the said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Jaques, Seconded by Mr. Stickney: That the said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Moore: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to regulate and control the granting of public money to various organizations. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rusling, Seconded by Mr. Birdsall: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Jamieson, Seconded by Mr. Chamberlain: That the said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Buchner, Seconded by Mr. Quance: That the said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Malcolm: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to provide Ways and Means to carry on the Public Service of the County of Norfolk for the year 1948. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Malcolm, Seconded by Mr. Jaques: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Holden, Seconded by Mr. Stickney: That the said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Jaques, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That the said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Oakes: That two members of the County Council representing the Children's Aid Society attend the Convention at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto, with expenses paid. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Moore, Seconded by Mr. Buchner: That the expenses of Mr. W. R. Anderson attending the Weed Control Convention in Toronto on April 16th and 17th, be paid. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rusling, Seconded by Mr. Anderson: That this Council do now go into the Committee of the Whole to consider the various matters referred thereto. Carried.

Council went into the Committee of the Whole at 2.20 P.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 3.25 P.M.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to authorize an application to the Department of Municipal Affairs to extend the time for making the Report of the County Assessor; for the examination of the Assessment Rolls for the purpose of Equalization; for the passing of an Equalization By-Law and for the disposition of an Equalization Appeal (if any), without amendment.

Moved by Mr. Malcolm, Seconded by Mr. Schooley: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Malcolm: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed and Numbered 884.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to regulate and control the granting of public money to various organizations, without amendment.

Moved by Mr. Ravin, Seconded by Mr. Rusling: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Buchner: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed, and Numbered 885.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to provide Ways and Means to carry on the Public Service of the County of Norfolk for the year 1948, without amendment.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Oakes: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Lefler: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed, and Numbered 886.

Moved by Mr. Quance, Seconded by Mr. Ravin: That owing to lack of finances that the building of a room for the Magistrates Office be referred to the 1949 Council, and we recommend that action be taken. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Oakes: That the Reeves of the various Municipalities in Norfolk County arrange for delivery of the 1947 Assessment Rolls to the County Assessor's Office at least one week prior to the June meeting of Council at which the County Assessor's Report is to be presented. Carried.

Mr. Hanselman read the Report of the Committee of the Whole.

Moved by Mr. Hanselman, Seconded by Mr. Gamble: That the Report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Ravin, Seconded by Mr. Hanselman: That the members of the County Court of Revision be paid \$8.00 per day and the regular mileage for the sittings of the Court. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Oakes, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That this Council do now adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, June 1st, 1948, at 10.00 A.M. Carried.

Council adjourned accordingly at 4.20 P.M.

Confirmed in open Council this 1st day of June, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER, Warden.



## *Report of The Road Committee.*

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on County Roads beg leave to Report as follows:

Your Committee have inspected the whole of the County Road System during the past month. We find the Spring break-up about the same as in 1947, excepting that this year the break-up is worst on the heavier soils. while in 1947 the worst conditions prevailed on the lighter soils.

Your Committee respectfully submit the following estimates for your approval:

### **MULCH PATCHES AND SPECIAL MAINTENANCE—**

Road 1 .....	\$ 2,800.00
Road 2 .....	11,200.00
Road 3 .....	400.00
Road 7 .....	10,100.00
Road 8 .....	9,500.00
Road 9 .....	9,500.00
Road 10 .....	2,800.00
Road 13 .....	1,400.00
Road 14 .....	1,300.00
Road 15 .....	7,100.00
Road 16 .....	1,800.00
Road 17 .....	3,400.00
Road 18 .....	1,500.00
Road 20—The Indian Line .....	2,000.00
Road 21—South of St. Williams .....	3,000.00

Total.....\$ 67,800.00

General Maintenance .....	\$ 60,000.00
Retreatment .....	60,000.00
New Machinery .....	15,000.00
Equipment Building .....	25,000.00
Overhead .....	12,000.00
Depreciation of Machinery .....	10,000.00

Total.....\$182,000.00

CONSTRUCTION—

Road 4, Underdrainage .....	4,000.00
Road 4, Mulch .....	11,000.00
Road 11, Grading and Gravel .....	12,000.00
Road 5, Stabilization .....	10,000.00
Road 9, Stabilization and Mulch .....	7,000.00
Road 12, Mulch .....	1,200.00
Road 11, Mulch .....	6,900.00
TOTAL .....	\$52,100.00

SUMMARY—

Mulch Patches and Special Maintenance ..\$	67,800.00
General Maintenance .....	60,000.00
Retreatment .....	60,000.00
New Machinery .....	15,000.00
Equipment Building .....	25,000.00
Overhead .....	12,000.00
Depreciation of Machinery .....	10,000.00
Construction .....	52,100.00
Contingencies .....	11,045.70
TOTAL.....	\$312,945.70

Your Committee have not been able to inspect the various portions of the Roads which were mentioned in the resolutions requesting that they be added to the County Road System, but we will report on these requests at the June Session of this Council. Your Committee propose to examine all the Roads which were recommended in the Post War Program.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. MOORE, Chairman.  
JOHN C. HANSELMAN.  
CHAS. J. SCHOOLEY.

## *Report of The Educational Committee.*

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Education met in the Committee Room on April 7th, and beg leave to Report as follows:

We have examined the requisitions of the various High and Continuation Schools and recommend the following amounts be paid for Education for Norfolk County Pupils:

	Total	Cost per pupil day
Simcoe High School .....	\$ 14,374.81	.2735
Delhi High School .....	5,714.85	.286
Port Dover High School .....	1,916.47	.399
Waterford High School .....	8,693.23	.3607
Port Rowan High School .....	574.50	.696
Tillsonburg High School .....	4,032.77	.53
Norwich High School .....	823.28	.5612
Brantford Collegiate Institute ....	90.48	.4685
Scotland Continuation School ....	205.07	.4078
Jarvis Continuation School.....	99.66	.2134
Vienna High School .....	149.76	.768
TOTAL .....	\$ 36,674.88	

We further recommend the following amounts be paid for Education of Norfolk County Pupils in Vocational Schools:

Brantford Vocational School .....	\$ 254.93	.4403
The Arthur Voaden Vocational School .....	56.49	.734
TOTAL.....	311.42	

We further find that 50% of these amounts are to be paid by the Municipalities where the Pupils reside, as follows:

### **CHARLOTTEVILLE—**

Simcoe High School .....	\$ 1,766.63	
Delhi High School .....	467.32	
		2,233.95

**HOUGHTON—**

Port Rowan High School .....	41.03	
Simcoe High School .....	85.32	
Tillsonburg High School .....	527.88	
Vienna High School .....	29.57	
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		683.80

**MIDDLETON—**

Simcoe High School .....	70.69	
Tillsonburg High School .....	1,209.73	
Delhi High School .....	1,079.36	
Vienna High School.....	45.31	
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		2,405.09

**NORTH WALSLINGHAM—**

Simcoe High School .....	959.13	
Tillsonburg High School .....	227.10	
Delhi High School .....	127.84	
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		1,314.07

**SOUTH WALSLINGHAM—**

Port Rowan High School .....	246.22	
Simcoe High School .....	518.60	
Tillsonburg High School .....	51.67	
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		816.49

**TOWNSEND—**

Simcoe High School .....	1,331.30	
Waterford High School .....	3,296.07	
Brantford Collegiate Institute .....	45.24	
Brantford Vocational School .....	127.46	
Scotland Continuation School .....	48.11	
Jarvis Continuation School .....	41.62	
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		4,889.80

**WINDHAM—**

Simcoe High School .....	653.00	
Delhi High School .....	1,182.90	
Waterford High School .....	1,050.54	
Scotland Continuation School.....	54.42	
Norwich High School .....	411.64	
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		3,352.50

**WOODHOUSE—**

Simcoe High School .....	1,802.73	
Jarvis Continuation School .....	8.21	
Port Dover High School .....	958.23	
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		2,769.17



DELHI—

The Arthur Voaden Vocational School	28.24	
		28.24
TOTAL .....		\$ 18,493.11

We further find that the Municipalities outside the High School Districts are to pay 50%, as follows:

Charlotteville .....	\$ 2,604.45
Houghton .....	925.19
Middleton .....	1,941.70
North Walsingham .....	1,568.45
South Walsingham .....	1,419.00
Townsend .....	3,595.33
Windham .....	3,565.59
Woodhouse .....	2,717.76
TOTAL.....	\$ 18,337.47

We further find that there must be raised from all the Municipalities:

50% of Vocational Schools .....	\$ 155.72
Cost of Entrance Examinations .....	230.00
Agricultural Grants.....	1,000.00
Sundry .....	50.00
TOTAL .....	\$ 1,435.72

to be raised as follows:

Simcoe .....	\$ 237.58
Delhi .....	69.51
Port Dover .....	58.06
Waterford .....	36.09
Port Rowan .....	18.56
Charlotteville .....	144.25
Houghton .....	51.29
Middleton .....	107.79
North Walsingham .....	86.90
South Walsingham .....	78.63
Townsend .....	199.09
Windham .....	197.45
Woodhouse .....	150.52
TOTAL .....	\$ 1,435.72

We find that the whole amount for Education is \$38,266.30 and the amounts to be raised from each municipality as follows:

Simcoe .....	\$ 237.58
Delhi .....	97.75
Port Dover .....	58.06
Waterford .....	36.09
Port Rowan .....	18.56
Charlotteville .....	4,982.65
Houghton .....	1,660.28
Middleton .....	4,454.58
North Walsingham.....	2,969.42
South Walsingham .....	2,314.12
Townsend .....	8,684.22
Windham .....	7,115.54
Woodhouse .....	5,637.45
TOTAL .....	\$ 38,266.30

All of which is respectfully submitted.

O. H. BACKUS, Chairman.  
HOBERT LEFLER.  
A. F. GAMBLE.  
GORDON W. OAKES.  
A. JAQUES.  
F. A. QUANCE.

## *Report of The Educational Committee.*

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Education beg leave to Report as follows:

After the regular meeting of this Committee a letter was received from the Tillsonburg High School stating that there had been an overcharge of their account of \$2,536.84. There was also an application for costs received from the Port Burwell Continuation School for \$97.75 on a pupil day basis of .5023.

We therefore recommend that the original report be passed and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the Port Burwell Continuation School and to rebate at the end of the year the amount of the overcharge to the various Municipalities as follows:

Cost to Municipalities outside High School Districts (Port Burwell) 50% .....	\$ 48.98
Credit to Municipalities outside High School Districts, 50% .....	1,268.42
NET CREDIT.....	\$ 1,219.44

Cost to Houghton for Port Burwell Pupils, 50%	48.97
Credit to Houghton for Tillsonburg Pupils, 50%	146.84
Credit to Middleton for Tillsonburg Pupils 50%	448.74
Credit to N. Walsingham for Tillsonburg Pupils, 50% .....	84.24
Credit to S. Walsingham for Tillsonburg Pupils 50% .....	19.17

TOTAL COST TO MUNICIPALITIES:

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	50 % County Outside District	50 % where pupils reside	50 % where pupils reside	Total Credit
Charlotteville ...	173.19			173.19
Houghton .....	61.53	48.97	195.81	208.37
Middleton .....	129.12		448.74	577.86
N. Walsingham .	104.30		84.24	188.54
S. Walsingham .	94.37		19.17	113.54
Townsend .....	239.09			239.09
Windham .....	237.11			237.11
Woodhouse .....	180.73			180.73
	<u>1,219.44</u>	<u>48.97</u>	<u>747.96</u>	<u>1,918.43</u>

All of which is respectfully submitted.

O. H. BACKUS, Chairman.

A. F. GAMBLE.

HOBERT LEFLER.

GORDON W. OAKES.

A. JAKUES.

F. A. QUANCE.



## *Report of The Finance Committee.*

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To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Finance Committee met in the Committee Room on March 30th to consider the adjustment of the Insurance on the County Buildings, and beg leave to report as follows:

1.—We have employed a competent Appraiser to value the Court House, Jail, County Buildings, Registry Office and the County Home. A Sub-Committee composed of Messrs. Anderson, Jaques, Moore and the Warden met with him and made an estimate of the contents of the buildings.

2.—We increased all the Insurance on the Buildings 75%, which took effect on March 30th, pending the report of the Valuator.

3.—We cancelled the 80% co-insurance on the County Home and covered it under the regular rate.

4.—We recommend that the Council give us a free hand in adjusting this Insurance, based on the Valuator's Report.

5.—We also recommend that a Policy for Public Liability be carried on County property.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. R. ANDERSON, Chairman.

B. C. BUCHNER.

A. JAQUES.

CLAUDE RAVIN

JAS. MOORE.

O. H. BACKUS.

## *Report of The Committee of The Whole.*

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To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee of the Whole begs leave to Report the following:

No action taken on the resolution of the request of the Norfolk General Hospital to establish a wing for Patients at the County Home.

No action taken on the Canadian Deaf Scholarship Appeal.

No action taken on the suggestion of the University of Western Ontario to appoint one representative to the Senate of the University from the County Council.

No action taken to accept an Invitation to visit the University of Western Ontario on June 15th.

No action taken on the resolution from the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, that we petition the Provincial Government to subsidize to the extent of 50% of the cost of a County Assessor.

Resolution from the County of Essex was endorsed, that the Provincial Government be respectfully urged to make more substantial contributions to Children's Aid Societies, to establish a Provincial-Municipal Committee to go into facts concerning these costs and other Social Service costs, and to do all possible to see that more stringent laws be enacted to more severely penalize the parents of neglected children.

Resolution from the County of Peel was endorsed to provide that Fixed Assessments shall not apply to or affect taxation for County purposes.

Resolution from the Norfolk County Peach Growers' Association be referred to the Office of County Assessor.

Report of Investigation into Fire in County Reforestation

Property south of Walsh on April 30th, 1948, be referred to the Reforestation Committee.

The resolution that the request of County Weed Inspector for co-operation of Council, be granted.

The request that the \$3,000.00 grant to the "Canadian Appeal for Children" be paid at this time, with the usual discount.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN C. HANSELMAN, Chairman.

# JUNE MEETING

## FIRST DAY

SIMCOE, ONTARIO,

June 1st, 1948.

Minutes of the regular June Session of Norfolk County Council, held this 1st day of June, 1948.

Council called to order at 10.00 A.M., the Warden, Harold Boughner, presiding.

Roll called; All the members present.

Minutes of the May Session were read and confirmed.

The Warden welcomed Deputy Clerk and Treasurer Jonathan Porter and read a Letter of Appreciation from the Council for the years of service to the County. Mr. Anderson presented Mr. Porter with a Cheque on behalf of the County Council.

Mr. Porter expressed his thanks to the Council for their expression of appreciation.

The following communications were read:

Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs, Granting extension for Equalizing.

Department of Agriculture, re Weed Control.

Department of Highways, Approving By-Law No. 879.

Mr. Dent Dalton, Expressing regret in inability to attend banquet.

St. Williams Chamber of Commerce, Asking Council to fishing trip.

Department of Agriculture, Notice of drainage Convention.



North Norfolk Women's Institute, Asking for County Health Unit.

South Norfolk Women's' Institute, Asking for County Health Unit.

Department of Reform Institutions, re Pension Plan for Gaol employees.

Moved by Mr. Schooley, Seconded by Mr. Malcolm: That the communications as read be referred to the following: Department of Municipal Affairs, Department of Highways, Mr. Dent Dalton, St. Williams Chamber of Commerce, Department of Agriculture—To be filed.

North Norfolk Women's Institute, South Norfolk Women's Institute, Department of Reform Institutions, and Department of Agriculture—To the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Rusling: That the request of the Township of Townsend ratepayers be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Mr. Moore gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords, introduce a By-Law to amend Schedule "A" of By-Law No. 784 of the County of Norfolk.

Mr. Pitman gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords, introduce a By-Law to establish a South-West Norfolk District High School.

Mr. Ravin gave notice that he would as soon as opportunity affords, introduce a By-Law to confirm the Equalization of the various Municipalities comprising the County of Norfolk for the year 1948.

Mr. Moore read the Report of the County Road Committee.

Moved by Mr. Moore, Seconded by Mr. Hanselman: That the Report of the County Road Committee be adopted. Carried.

The Warden introduced a delegation from the Peach Growers, Apple Growers, and Tobacco Growers.

Mr. William Godfrey read a brief of the Apple Growers, claiming that the schedule of assessment on this class of land was too high.

Mr. Grant Fox read a brief of the Peach Growers, with a similar claim.

Mr. J. K. Perrett spoke on behalf of the Tobacco Growers, making the same claim.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Rusling: That the request of the Fruit Growers and Tobacco Growers be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Oakes, seconded by Mr. Holden: That this Council do now adjourn to meet again at 2.00 P.M. Carried.

Council adjourned at 11.55 A.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 2.30 P.M.

Mr. R. P. Quance read the Report of the County Assessor.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That the Report of the County Assessor be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Mr. Rusling gave a verbal report on the investigation into the County Health Unit question.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Rusling: That the Report of Mr. Rusling re County Health Unit be referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Moore, Seconded by Mr. Ravin: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to amend Schedule "A" of By-Law No. 784 of the County of Norfolk. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Quance, Seconded by Mr. Anderson: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Rusling, Seconded by Mr. Jamieson: That said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Jamieson, Seconded by Mr. Chamberlain: That the said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lefler, Seconded by Mr. Oakes: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to establish a South-West Norfolk District High School. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Pitman, Seconded by Mr. Chamberlain: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Chamberlain, Seconded by Mr. Pitman: That the said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law read.

Moved by Mr. Ravin, Seconded by Mr. Quance: That the said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Ravin, Seconded by Mr. Moore: That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to confirm the Equalization of the various Municipalities comprising the County of Norfolk for the year 1948. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Quance, Seconded by Mr. Hanselman: That the said By-Law be now read a first time. Carried.

By-Law read in blank.

Moved by Mr. Hanselman, Seconded by Mr. Chamberlain: That the said By-Law be now read a second time. Carried.

By-Law again read in blank.

Moved by Mr. Gamble, Seconded by Mr. Quance: That the

said By-Law be now referred to the Committee of the Whole. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rusling, Seconded by Mr. Anderson: That this Council do now go into the Committee of the Whole to consider the various matters referred thereto. Carried.

Council went into the Committee of the Whole at 3.30 P.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 4.50 P.M.

Moved by Mr. Jaques, Seconded by Mr. Malcolm: That the Town of Simcoe be given permission to make repairs on the Town Lock-Up on County Grounds, at no cost to the County. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Oakes, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That this Council do now adjourn to meet again on Wednesday, June 2nd, 1948, at 9.30 A.M. Carried.

Council adjourned accordingly at 5.00 P.M.

Confirmed in open Council this 2nd day of June, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER, Warden.



## *Report of The Road Committee.*

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To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on County Roads beg leave to Report as follows:

Considerable patching of the Bituminous Roads has been done. Underdrainage on Road No. 4 has been completed. Some underdrainage on Road No. 21 south of St. Williams, has also been done. Gravelling for Mulch is being proceeded with on Road 11, south of Walsh. The new Distributor has been received.

Your Committee have inspected the roads mentioned in the resolutions at the June session. We have also inspected the Roads mentioned in the Report on Post War Planning and recommend that the following Roads be added the County Road System:

- 1.—The extension of Road No. 8 from the Talbot Street to King's Highway No. 3.
- 2.—That Road No. 18 be extended from Road No. 2 northerly to the County Boundary.
- 3.—The Road from Fairground easterly to the Fifth Concession Road of South Walsingham and easterly to Road No. 9 in Charlotteville.
- 4.—The Road from Road No. 10 in Charlotteville at Powell's Corners westerly through Lynedoch to N. Walsingham westerly on the Road between the 13 and 14 Concession of North Walsingham westerly to County Road No. 8.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. MOORE, Chairman.  
JOHN C. HANSELMAN.  
CHAS. J. SCHOOLEY.

# JUNE MEETING

## SECOND DAY

SIMCOE, ONTARIO,

June 2nd, 1948

Minutes of the Second Day of the Regular June Session of Norfolk County Council, held this 2nd day of June, 1948.

Council called to order at 9.30 A.M., the Warden, Harold Boughner, presiding.

Roll called; All the Members present.

Minutes of the first day of the June Session were read and confirmed.

Moved by Mr. Rusling, Seconded by Mr. Moore: That this Council do now go into the Committee of the Whole to consider the various matters referred thereto. Carried.

Council went into the Committee of the Whole at 9.40 A.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 10.40 A.M.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Rusling: That we adjourn for sufficient time for the Equalization Committee to meet. Carried.

Council went into the Equalization Committee at 10.45 A.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 11.20 A.M.

Moved by Mr. Rusling, Seconded by Mr. Anderson: That this Council do now go into the Committee of the whole to consider the various matters referred thereto. Carried.

Council went into the Committee of the Whole at 11.21 A.M.

Council resumed its sittings at 11.25 A.M.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to amend Schedule "A" of By-Law No. 784 of the County of Norfolk without amendment.

Moved by Mr. Buchner, Seconded by Mr. Rusling: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Anderson, Seconded by Mr. Birdsall: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed and Numbered 887.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to Establish a South-West Norfolk District High School, without amendment.

Moved by Mr. Hanselman, Seconded by Mr. Lefler: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Gamble, Seconded by Mr. Ravin: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed and Numbered 888.

Mr. Ravin read the Report of the Equalization Committee.

Moved by Mr. Ravin, Seconded by Mr. Quance: That the Report of the Equalization Committee be adopted. Carried.

The Committee of the Whole reported on By-Law to confirm the Equalization of the various Municipalities comprising the County of Norfolk for the year 1948, without amendment.

Moved by Mr. Backus, Seconded by Mr. Ravin: That the said By-Law be now read a third time. Carried.

By-Law read accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Gamble, Seconded by Mr. Birdsall: That the said By-Law do now finally pass and become a By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk, and be intituled as in the caption thereof. Carried.

By-Law was then Signed, Sealed and Numbered 889.

Mr. Hanselman read the Report of the Committee of the Whole.

Moved by Mr. Hanselman, Seconded by Mr. Quance: That the Report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stickney, Seconded by Mr. Oakes: That the Council authorize a meeting of the Assessors of Norfolk County on June 17, 1948, and the regular per diem rate for Assessors be paid. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Oakes, Seconded by Mr. Holden: That this Council do now adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, September 7th, 1948, at 10.00 A.M. Carried.

Council adjourned accordingly at 11.55 A.M.

Confirmed in open Council this ..... day of .....  
A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

Warden.



## Report of The Equalization Committee.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: We, the Equalization Committee, beg leave to Report as follows: That the Equalization of the County of Norfolk for 1948 shall be as follows:

Municipality.	Total Assessment
Simcoe .....	\$5,244,900.
Delhi .....	2,035,500.
Port Dover .....	1,329,700.
Port Rowan .....	424,000.
Waterford .....	842,400.
<b>URBAN TOTALS</b> .....	<b>\$9,876,500.</b>
Charlottetown .....	3,227,900.
Houghton .....	1,101,700.
Middleton .....	2,339,500.
Townsend .....	4,323,000.
North Walsingham .....	2,089,600.
South Walsingham .....	1,773,200.
Windham .....	4,445,800.
Woodhouse .....	3,243,100.
<b>RURAL TOTALS</b> .....	<b>22,543,800.</b>
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b> .....	<b>\$32,420,300.</b>

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CLAUDE RAVIN, Chairman.

## *Report of The Committee of The Whole.*

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To the Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Norfolk.

Gentlemen: Your Committee of the Whole begs leave to Report the following:

No action taken on the proposal of the Department of Reform Institutions that the County pay for past Service Pension.

Resolution from North Norfolk and South Norfolk Women's Institutes re County Health Institute, the Motion was carried that a By-Law be prepared setting up a County Health Unit and be presented at the September session.

No action taken on the invitation to the demonstration at the Eastern Ontario Drainage Field Day in Carleton County.

The motion was carried that the recommendation to County Assessor to assess Tobacco Lands on a revision downward to present rates.

The motion was carried that the recommendation to County Assessor to assess on the sliding scale system as at present suggesting that the rates be revised downward to present rates as regards Fruit Orchards.

No action taken on the request of certain ratepayers of the Township of Townsend requesting their respective properties be transferred from the Simcoe High School District to the Waterford High School Area.

That the Report of the County Assessor be referred to the Equalization Committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN C. HANSELMAN, Chairman.

## Report of The County Assessor.

### SECTION 89a (1) THE ASSESSMENT ACT).

At the May 3rd session of the Council of the County of Norfolk your County Assessor suggested an alternative basis for the preparation of his report for the year 1948 pursuant to section 89a (1) of the Assessment Act.

The suggested basis which has been used in preparing the report is as follows:-

"The County equalization figures for 1947, which are substantially the same as set by the late Judge A. T. Boles in 1936, have been taken as the starting figures for each Municipality. Business assessment for the year 1946 has been deducted to obtain that portion of the County Equalization figures representing the value of land and buildings in each municipality. To these values have been added the increase in land and building assessment for the years 1946 and 1947. These figures of taxable real property assessment are suggested by the County Assessor as the basis for County Equalization of real property pursuant to section 90 of The Assessment Act. For County Levy purposes business assessment for the year 1947 requires to be added pursuant to section 93 of The Assessment Act."

For example, the figure for County levy purposes suggested for the Town of Simcoe has been computed as follows:-

1.—County Equalized Assessment 1947 (no change since 1939).....	\$5,021,100.00
2.—Less Business Assessment 1946.....	665,286.00
3.—Land and Buildings portion of 1947 Equalized Assessment .....	\$4,355,814.00
4.—Increase in Real Property assessment 1947 -	\$4,376,934
1946 and 1947 1945 -	4,202,788
	174,146.00
5.—Suggested Equalized Assessment of Real Property for 1948 pursuant to section 90 of the Assessment Act .....	4,529,960.00
6.—Add Business Assessment for 1947...	714,975.00
7.—SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT FOR COUNTY LEVY, 1949 .....	\$5,244,935.00
8.—Total Real Property Assessment 1947	\$4,376,934.00
9.—Total Taxable Assessment, 1947 ....	\$5,091,909.00

Similar computations have been made for the other twelve Municipalities in Norfolk County. The computations for the Village of Delhi have been more involved due to the large exemption for fixed assessment in 1945 which was not exempt in the 1947 Assessment Rolls. This exemption consisted of Building Assessment, \$287,265.00, and Business Assessment, \$172,355.00—or a total of \$459,620.00.

The suggested total for County levy purposes is \$32,420,493.00 or an increase of \$2,093,193.00 over the 1947 total of \$30,327,300.00.

The total net Taxable Assessment as taken from the 1947 Assessment Rolls is \$29,320,430.00, which is \$3,100,643.00 lower than the suggested assessment for County levy.

For the year 1948 three Municipalities in Norfolk County have completed appraisals under County Assessment schedules and have incorporated them in their 1948 Assessment Rolls. The increase in assessment due to assessing at 100% of appraisal value indicates that the suggested assessment for County levy purposes, although some 3 million dollars over 1947 roll totals would require to be further increased in 1949.

Where a County Assessor has been appointed under section 89a (1) of The Assessment Act the report of the County Assessor shall form the basis of Equalization under section 90.

Section 90 reads as follows:-

“(1). The Council of every County shall, yearly and not later than the 1st day of July, examine the Assessment Rolls of the different Townships, Towns and Villages in the County, **for the preceding year**, for the purpose of ascertaining whether the valuations of real property made by the assessors in each township, town or village bear a just relation one to another, and may, by by-law for the purpose of County rates, increase or decrease in any township, town or village, the aggregate valuations, adding or deducting so much per centum as may, in their opinion, be necessary to produce a just relation between them; but they shall not reduce the aggregate valuation for the whole County as made by the assessors.

“(2) Within ten days after the Equalization By-Law has been passed by the County Council, the County Clerk shall transmit to the Reeve and Clerk of each Municipality a copy thereof.”

The Assessment Rolls of the various Municipalities are in the Council Chamber and it is suggested that several assessments be examined in each Roll in order that general comparisons of Assessment may be considered.

The determination of a common denominator of value for all Municipalities requires the completion of more appraisals under County Assessment schedules than have been made to date. The increase in assessment noted by subtracting 1945 assessment totals from 1947 assessment totals could be considered normal increase in assessment with reference to the basis of assessment being used in each municipality but would not be related to a common basis of assessment.

In presenting this Report it is recognized that appraisals in some Municipalities indicate that the percentage suggested for 1948 should be further adjusted, while in other municipalities the work is not sufficiently advanced to arrive at definite conclusions of relative value.

The Report does incorporate in County Equalization for 1948 the following:

- 1.—The common denominator of value with respect to each Municipality established by the Equalization of 1936 and later adjustment of 1939.
- 2.—The normal increases in assessment of real property for 1946 and 1947, including that portion of real property assessment with respect to an industrial plant in the Village of Delhi which is no longer exempt.
- 3.—The Business Assessment for the year 1947.

This Report is respectfully submitted for your consideration.

Your obedient servant,

(signed) R. P. QUANCE,

County Assessor,  
County of Norfolk.

Simcoe, Ontario,  
June 1, 1948.





# COUNTY OF NORFOLK—ASSESSMENT DATA, 1947

Municipality	Population 1947	Total acreage	Cleared Land	Wood Land	Slash Land	Swamp Land	Assessed Land	Value Buildings	Total Realty	Business as- essment	Total Net as- essment	County Equalized as- essment	Percentage of County Gov't.	Levy 1947
Simcoe .....	6,400	749					1,091,894	3,285,040	4,376,834	714,975	5,091,809	5,621,100	16.56	44,504.99
Delhi .....	2,591	508					327,896	1,479,320	1,807,215	399,466	2,206,681	1,467,900	4.84	13,940.11
Port Dover .....	2,029	418					311,473	758,025	1,069,498	68,470	1,129,968	1,226,100	4.04	10,892.07
Port Rowan .....	760	633					# 87,835	@ 322,290	410,125	21,270	431,395	\$91,600	1.29	3,690.70
Waterford .....	1,417	435				21	114,313	650,485	764,796	62,075	826,871	751,560	2.51	5,764.79
Urban Totals ....	12,556	2,739				21	1,933,416	6,095,160	8,428,570	1,258,256	9,686,826	8,867,600	23.24	78,802.66
Charlottesville ....	3,270	58,102	34,222	16,887	12,759	—	1,478,046	1,246,125	2,724,171	10,735	2,734,896	3,047,960	10.05	99,970.12
Houghton .....	1,772	32,381	21,269	6,049	4,357	1,904	704,925	407,805	1,112,730	2,800	1,115,530	1,082,700	3.57	11,035.91
Middleton .....	2,665	44,657	39,967	2,712	10,293	930	980,409	770,180	1,750,589	18,350	1,768,939	2,272,300	7.49	22,477.43
Townsend .....	3,496	64,464	55,239	3,040	3,645	2,658	2,457,991	1,308,440	3,766,431	18,450	3,784,881	4,397,500	13.87	43,688.61
North Walsingham ..	2,065	40,000	25,377	3,933	10,282	408	1,230,835	971,620	2,202,455	10,375	2,212,830	1,835,060	6.05	18,347.88
South Walsingham ..	1,937	51,698	22,472	9,564	3,978	15,593	988,000	410,050	1,408,050	8,675	1,416,725	1,050,400	5.48	16,606.89
Windham .....	3,639	66,156	47,949	3,836	10,878	3,492	2,465,745	1,954,275	4,420,020	23,950	4,443,970	4,172,700	13.70	41,964.75
Woodhouse .....	2,521	34,984	30,390	1,473	2,001	120	1,334,288	810,485	2,144,743	6,150	2,150,893	\$180,560	10.49	33,291.34
Rural Totals .....	21,354	391,452	267,505	47,499	58,103	25,106	11,650,359	7,878,579	19,529,229	104,375	19,633,604	21,459,700	70.76	218,388.80
Grand Totals, 1947	34,211	394,181	267,895	47,499	58,103	25,126	13,583,769	14,374,630	27,567,799	1,362,631	29,330,430	30,327,300	100.00	\$297,191.46
Grand Totals, 1946	33,601	396,256	268,299	44,125	45,726	25,065	13,301,977	13,836,821	27,141,798	1,237,570	28,379,368	30,327,300	—	250,469.52
Grand Totals, 1945	33,301	402,450	268,796	45,183	45,587	25,761	12,587,083	13,008,370	26,495,456	1,210,610	27,006,065	30,327,300	—	284,706.09



# REPORT OF COUNTY ASSESSOR, 1948

(SECTION 89a (1) OF THE ASSESSMENT ACT).

Municipality	Total realty assessment 1947	Equalized assessment 1947	Equalized assessment less business assessment 1946	Increase in realty assessment 1946 and 1947	Suggested equalized assessment 1948	Add Business assessment 1947	Suggested assessment for County Levy 1949	Percentage of County rate		Inc.	Dec.
								1947	1948		
Simcoe .....	4,376,934	5,021,100	4,365,814	174,146	4,520,960	714,975	5,244,935	16.56	16.18		.38
Delhi .....	1,807,216	1,467,900	1,251,821	384,263	1,636,084	309,466	2,035,550	4.84	6.28	1.44	
Port Dover .....	1,069,498	1,226,100	1,138,875	83,366	1,269,260	60,470	1,329,730	4.04	4.10	.06	
Port Rowan .....	410,125	391,600	374,626	26,180	402,725	21,270	423,995	1.29	1.30	.01	
Waterford .....	764,798	761,500	709,600	70,759	780,359	62,075	842,434	2.51	2.60	.09	
URBAN TOTALS .....	8,428,570	8,867,600	7,877,735	740,053	8,618,368	1,228,256	9,876,644	20.24	30.46	1.22	
Charlotteville .....	2,324,171	3,047,300	3,040,150	177,057	3,217,207	19,725	3,237,932	10.05	9.96		.09
Heughton .....	1,312,730	1,682,700	1,680,700	18,710	1,699,410	2,300	1,101,710	3.57	3.40		.17
Middleton .....	1,766,509	2,272,300	2,255,900	65,237	2,321,137	18,350	2,339,487	7.49	7.22		.27
Townsend .....	3,765,431	4,207,500	4,189,500	114,956	4,304,556	18,450	4,323,006	13.37	13.33		.04
North Walsingham .....	2,202,575	1,835,500	1,825,800	253,400	2,079,280	19,375	2,098,655	6.05	6.45	.40	
South Walsingham .....	1,408,050	1,069,000	1,059,125	111,975	1,761,100	8,075	1,773,175	5.48	5.47		.01
Windham .....	4,420,630	4,172,700	4,162,775	253,109	4,415,884	29,050	4,445,934	13.70	13.71		.05
Woodhouse .....	2,144,743	3,180,300	3,176,100	68,580	3,236,980	6,150	3,243,130	10.49	10.60		.10
RURAL TOTALS .....	19,530,220	21,450,700	21,388,450	1,665,024	22,439,474	104,375	22,543,849	20.76	19.54		1.22
GRAND TOTALS .....	\$27,967,790	\$30,327,300	\$29,266,185	1,795,677	\$31,057,862	1,332,631	\$32,520,493	100.00	100.00		

SIMCOE, ONTARIO  
May 19, 1948.







## *By-Law No. 882.*

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A BY-LAW TO AMEND BY-LAW No. 856, BEING A BY-LAW TO RESTRICT AND REGULATE THE CUTTING OF FOREST TREES.

WHEREAS it is deemed advisable to amend By-Law No. 856, by adding thereto certain species of Trees, not contained in the said By-Law.

THEREFORE be it enacted by the Council of the County of Norfolk, that By-Law No. 856, Section 1, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

Scotch Pine, Austrian Pine, Jack Pine, Norway Spruce and Colorado Spruce not suitable for first class Christmas Trees of a diameter of less than 14 inches taken 12 inches above the ground;

Beech and European Alder under 14 inches measured 12 inches above the ground.

Tamarac or Larch under 8 inches measured 12 inches above the ground;

Locust under 6 inches measured 12 inches above the ground.

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that all regulations and exceptions stated in By-Law No. 856 are hereby applicable to this By-Law.

PASSED in open Council this 2nd day of March, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER. Warden.

## *By-Law No. 883.*

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A BY-LAW TO AMEND BY-LAW No. 845.

WHEREAS By-Law No. 845 was approved by the Minister of Highways to become effective from the 1st day of January, 1946.

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to amend By-Law No. 845,

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the County of Norfolk that By-Law No. 845 be and is hereby amended to provide—

(1)—That the salary of Guy R. Marston, beginning the first day of January, 1948, shall be \$4,500.00 per annum.

(2)—AND IT IS HEREBY ENACTED that the provisions of any By-Law inconsistent with this By-law is hereby repealed.

PASSED in open Council this 2nd day of March, A.D. 1948,

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER. Warden.

## **By-Law No. 884.**

A By-Law of the Corporation of the County of Norfolk authorizing an Application to The Department of Municipal Affairs to extend the time for making the Report of the County Assessor; for the Examination of the Assessment Rolls for the purpose of Equalization; for the Passing of an Equalization By-Law and for the Disposition of an Equalization Appeal (if any).

WHEREAS clause (b) of Section 2, sub-section 9a of The Department of Municipal Affairs Act enacts as follows:

9a—The Department shall in respect of any Municipality or class thereof have power, notwithstanding any other Act;

(b) upon the application of a Municipality to extend for any period, not exceeding sixty days, the time for making the report of the County Assessor; for examination of assessment rolls for the purpose of equalization; for the passing of an equalization by-law and for disposition of an equalization appeal.

AND WHEREAS the County Assessor has reported his inability to complete the report of the County Assessor within the time set out in the statutes due to unforeseen delays;

THEREFORE The Council of The Corporation of The County of Norfolk enacts as follows:

1.—The Warden and Clerk be and they are hereby authorized to make application to The Department of Municipal Affairs to extend for sixty days the time for making the report of the County Assessor; for the examination of the Assessment Rolls for the purpose of equalization; for the passing of an Equalization By-Law and for the disposition of an equalization appeal (if any).

2.—The application to be in the form as set out in Schedule "A" hereto attached.

READ a first and second time this 4th day of May, A.D. 1948.

READ a third and finally passed this 4th day of May, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER. Warden.

## *By-Law No. 885.*

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A BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK TO REGULATE AND CONTROL THE GRANTING OF PUBLIC MONEY TO VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS.

WHEREAS it is deemed necessary to regulate and control the granting of public money to various organizations.

THEREFORE be it enacted by the Council of the County of Norfolk that,

1.—No Grants shall be considered by the Council on the day the appeal is made.

2.—All appeals for Grants made at the January session shall be referred to the Committee having jurisdiction and the disposition be recited in their Report to be considered by the Council at the time the budget for the year is decided.

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this By-Law shall become in force and take effect on the passing thereof.

PASSED in open Council this 4th day of May, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER. Warden.



## *By-Law No. 886.*

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A BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK TO PROVIDE WAYS AND MEANS TO CARRY ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE OF THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK FOR THE YEAR 1948.

WHEREAS it is necessary to provide Ways and Means to carry on the public service of the County of Norfolk for the year 1948.

AND WHEREAS it appears there will be required:

**For General Purposes** the sum of Seventy-Nine Thousand Three Hundred and Five Dollars and Eighty-Five Cents (\$79,305.85) being a Mill Rate of 2.615;

**For Charity and Welfare** the sum of Eighty-Four Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen Dollars and Forty-Four Cents (\$84,916.44), being a Mill Rate of 2.8;

**For Debentures** the sum of Ten Thousand One Hundred and Fifty-Nine Dollars and Sixty-Four Cents (\$10,159.64), being a Mill Rate of .335;

**For Maintenance and Construction of County Roads** the sum of One Hundred and Thirty-Six Thousand Four Hundred and Seventy-Two Dollars and Eighty-Five Cents (\$136,472.85), being a Mill Rate of 4.5;

and **For Education** the sum of Thirty-Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty-Six Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$38,266.30),

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the County of Norfolk in Council assembled;

There shall be levied and raised in each Municipality as follows:

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TOWNSHIP OF CHARLOTTEVILLE—

General Purposes .....	\$ 7,970.25
Charity and Welfare .....	8,534.12
Debentures .....	1,022.44
Education .....	4,982.65
County Roads .....	13,715.55
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Total .....	\$ 36,225.01
being equalized at \$3,047,900.00.	

TOWNSHIP OF HOUGHTON—

General Purposes .....	\$ 2,831.26
Charity and Welfare .....	3,031.56
Debentures .....	362.58
Education ..	1,660.28
County Roads .....	4,872.15
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Total .....	\$ 12,757.83
Being equalized at \$1,082,700.00.	

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLETON—

General Purposes .....	\$ 5,942.06
Charity and Welfare .....	6,362.44
Debentures .....	761.10
Education .....	4,454.58
County Roads .....	10,225.35
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Total .....	\$ 27,745.53
Being equalized at \$2,272,300.00.	

TOWNSHIP OF TOWNSEND—

General Purposes .....	\$ 11,002.61
Charity and Welfare .....	11,781.00
Debentures .....	1,409.39
Education .....	8,684.22
County Roads .....	18,933.75
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Total .....	\$ 51,810.97
Being equalized at \$4,207,500.00.	

TOWNSHIP OF WINDHAM—

General Purposes .....	\$ 10,911.61
Charity and Welfare .....	11,683.56
Debentures .....	1,397.73
Education .....	7,115.54
County Roads .....	18,777.15
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Total .....	\$ 49,885.59
Being equalized at \$4,172,700.00.	

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TOWNSHIP OF WOODHOUSE—

General Purposes .....	\$ 8,317.00
Charity and Welfare .....	8,905.40
Debentures .....	1,065.36
Education .....	5,637.45
County Roads .....	14,312.25
Total .....	\$ 38,237.46
being equalized at \$3,180,500.00.	

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH WALSLINGHAM—

General Purposes .....	\$ 4,799.83
Charity and Welfare .....	5,139.40
Debentures .....	614.77
Education .....	2,969.42
County Roads .....	8,259.75
Total .....	\$ 21,783.17
Being equalized at \$1,835,500.00.	

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH WALSLINGHAM—

General Purposes .....	\$ 4,342.47
Charity and Welfare .....	4,649.68
Debentures .....	556.18
Education .....	2,314.12
County Roads .....	7,472.70
Total .....	\$ 19,335.15
being equalized at \$1,660,600.00.	

TOWN OF SIMCOE—

General Purposes .....	\$ 13,130.18
Charity and Welfare .....	14,059.08
Debentures .....	1,681.96
Education .....	237.58
County Roads .....	22,594.95
Total .....	\$ 51,703.75
being equalized at \$5,021,100.00.	

VILLAGE OF DELHI—

General Purposes .....	\$ 3,838.55
Charity and Welfare .....	4,110.12
Debentures .....	491.64
Education .....	97.75
County Roads .....	6,605.55
Total .....	\$ 15,143.61
being equalized at \$1,467,900.00.	

VILLAGE OF PORT DOVER—

General Purposes .....	\$ 3,206.25
Charity and Welfare .....	3,433.08
Debentures .....	410.62
Education .....	58.06
County Roads .....	5,517.45
Total .....	\$ 12,625.46
being equalized at \$1,226,100.00.	

VILLAGE OF PORT ROWAN—

General Purposes .....	\$ 1,022.46
Charity and Welfare .....	1,094.80
Debentures .....	130.88
Education .....	18.56
County Roads .....	1,759.50
Total .....	\$ 4,028.80
being equalized at \$391,000.00.	

VILLAGE OF WATERFORD—

General Purposes .....	\$ 1,991.32
Charity and Welfare .....	2,132.20
Debentures .....	254.99
Education .....	36.09
County Roads .....	3,426.75
Total .....	\$ 7,841.35
being equalized at \$761,500.00.	

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the several sums shall be levied, raised and collected and paid to the Treasurer of the County of Norfolk on or before the 20th day of December, A.D. 1948.

PASSED in open Council this 4th day of May, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER, Warden.

## *By-Law No. 887.*

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A BY-LAW TO AMEND SCHEDULE "A" OF BY-LAW No. 784 OF THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to amend Schedule "A" of By-Law No. 784 by adding thereto Roads Number 23 and 24 and extending Roads Number 8 and 18.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the County of Norfolk:

THAT Schedule "A" of By-Law No. 784 be amended by adding thereto: "That Road No. 18 known as the Round Plains Road be extended northerly between the Township of Townsend and the Township of Windham to the north boundary of the said Township of Townsend.

THAT Schedule "A" of By-Law No. 784 be amended by adding thereto: "That Road No. 8 in the Township of Middleton be extended from Road No. 1 known as The Talbot Road to King's Highway No. 3.

THAT Schedule "A" of By-Law 784 be amended by adding thereto: "Road Number 23 to be known as the Lynedoch Road. Commencing at the intersection of the Road between Concession 13 and 14 in North Walsingham with County Road No. 8, thence easterly on the Road between Concession 13 and 14 in North Walsingham to the Townline between North Walsingham and Charlotteville, thence Northerly on the said Town Line to the Road between Concession Eleven and Twelve in the Township of Charlotteville, thence easterly on said road between Concession Eleven and Twelve and deviations through the Village of Lynedoch to County Road No. 10 at Powell's Corners.

THAT Schedule "A" of By-Law No. 784 be amended by adding thereto Road Number 24 to be known as the Charlotteville, Walsingham and Houghton Road. Commencing at the intersection of the Road between Lots 6 and 7, and the Road between the Second and Third Concession of the Township of Charlotteville thence westerly on the Road between the Second



and Third Concession of Charlotteville, and deviation thereof to the Town Line between Charlotteville and South Walsingham, thence westerly between Concession Four and Five of South Walsingham to the road between Concession Six and Seven of Houghton, thence south to a road crossing Lot No. 7 in the Sixth Concession of Houghton, thence north westerly on said road to the road between Concession Five and Six in Houghton thence north to the Village of Cultus, thence north westerly on the road between lots Seven and Eight across Concession Five, Four and Three to the Village of Fairground.

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this By-Law shall not become operative until the Thirty-First day of December, A.D. 1948, on the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council under the provisions of The Highway Improvement Act.

PASSED in open Council this 2nd day of June, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER. Warden.

## By-Law No. 888.

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A BY-LAW OF THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK TO ESTABLISH A SOUTH-WEST NORFOLK DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.

WHEREAS it is expedient that a High School District be established.

THEREFORE the Council of the County of Norfolk pursuant to the authority conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 4 Chapter 42, The High Schools Act, 1947, enacts as follows:

1.—The portion of the County described in Section 2 hereof is hereby established as a High School District.

2.—The Township of North Walsingham, The Township of South Walsingham, The Township of Houghton and the Village of Port Rowan.

3.—The Board of School Trustees of the said High School District is hereby designated as "The Board of Trustees of the South-West Norfolk District High School."

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the High School District of Port Rowan is hereby discontinued and the assets and liabilities become the property of The Port Rowan Public School Board.

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this By-Law shall come into force and take effect on the 1st day of January, 1949.

PASSED this 2nd day of June, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER, Warden.

## By-Law No. 889.

A BY-LAW TO CONFIRM THE EQUALIZATION OF THE VARIOUS MUNICIPALITIES COMPRISING THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK FOR THE YEAR 1948.

WHEREAS it is necessary to confirm the Equalization of the Municipalities comprising the County of Norfolk for the year 1948.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of The County of Norfolk that the following be the Equalization of the various Municipalities comprising The County of Norfolk for the year 1948:

Township of Charlotteville .....	\$ 3,227,900.00
Township of Houghton .....	1,101,700.00
Township of Middleton .....	2,339,500.00
Township of Townsend .....	4,323,000.00
Township of Windham .....	4,445,800.00
Township of Woodhouse .....	3,243,100.00
Township of North Walsingham .....	2,089,600.00
Township of South Walsingham .....	1,773,200.00
Town of Simcoe .....	5,244,900.00
Village of Delhi .....	2,035,500.00
Village of Port Dover .....	1,329,700.00
Village of Port Rowan .....	424,000.00
Village of Waterford .....	842,400.00
TOTAL .....	\$32,420,300.00

AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that in the event of an appeal against this By-Law, the final Equalization of the Assessment shall be determined by the Judge of the County Court of the County of Norfolk.

PASSED in open Council this 2nd day of June, A.D. 1948.

D. C. PORTER, Clerk.

HAROLD BOUGHNER. Warden.

# BUDGET, 1948—Continued.

## ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE—

	Actual, 1946		Actual, 1947		Budget, 1948	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
Auditors, Criminal Justice . . . .	126.40		115.60		150.00	
Criminal Justice Rebates . . . . .		4,739.44		4,929.06		4,000.00
Court House, Maintenance . . . .	8,745.30		3,497.53		4,300.00	
Constables . . . . .	340.00		316.00		350.00	
General . . . . .	2,991.30	193.35	4,193.89	41.40	4,500.00	
Crown Attorney . . . . .	3,031.50		2,865.93		3,000.00	
Crown Witnesses . . . . .	1,994.70		1,347.90		2,500.00	
Division Courts . . . . .	44.13	16.80	55.12	25.54	50.00	15.00
Fines . . . . .		1,883.39		983.72		1,000.00
Gaol, Building . . . . .	281.18		921.94		1,000.00	
General . . . . .	839.65	50.32	1,705.59	24.17	1,800.00	
Prisoners . . . . .	1,573.40		1,848.25		1,800.00	
Salaries . . . . .	7,625.09		8,345.41		10,000.00	
Inquests, etc. . . . .	515.75		767.15		500.00	
Juries . . . . .	1,514.84		1,864.42		2,500.00	
Juvenile Court . . . . .	3,020.04		3,900.08		4,000.00	
Police . . . . .	7,842.61	1,055.32	6,343.53	1,019.54	7,000.00	1,000.00
Police Court . . . . .	689.60		1,361.65		1,200.00	
Sheriff . . . . .	3,194.94	5.25	2,971.41		3,000.00	
	44,370.43	7,993.87	42,421.40	7,023.43	47,650.00	6,015.00
NET . . . . .		36,376.56		35,397.97		41,635.00

# BUDGET, 1948—Continued.

	Actual, 1946		Actual, 1947		Budget, 1948	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
AGRICULTURE .....	3,950.15	462.00	5,974.69	799.84	6,200.00	909.00
NET .....		3,488.15		5,174.85		5,300.00
<b>GENERAL ADMINISTRATION—</b>						
Council .....	1,256.20		1,614.00		2,000.00	
Committees .....	1,647.85		2,041.15		2,500.00	
Delegates .....	912.55		744.45		1,000.00	
County Assessor .....	1,446.31		718.14	25.00	4,000.00	
Interest .....	2,573.32	26.67	3,668.39	601.00	3,800.00	500.00
Licenses .....		479.00				
County Office .....	1,295.21	5.50	543.69		1,200.00	
Printing, Postage .....	808.59	49.21	995.14	49.41	1,000.00	40.00
Reforestation .....	6,337.93	1,486.90	9,307.08	2,528.60	7,000.00	
Registry Office .....	2,661.62	4,641.60	2,854.76	2,894.40	3,100.00	2,000.00
Salaries, etc .....	6,960.00		7,460.00		7,460.00	
Sundry Grants .....	7,155.00		5,595.00		1,000.00	
Sundry .....	1,598.94	772.10	2,065.53	1,027.55	2,104.87	925.00
Wolf, Fox Bounty .....	625.00	70.00	2,185.00	62.00	3,000.00	
NET .....	35,278.52	7,530.98	39,792.33	7,187.96	39,164.87	3,465.00
		27,747.54		32,604.37		35,699.87



# BUDGET. 1948--Continued.

## CHARITY AND WELFARE--

	Actual, 1946		Actual, 1947		Budget, 1948	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
Child Welfare, Norfolk .....	32,000.00		34,000.00		34,000.00	
Outside Norfolk .....	1,403.18		3,643.07		4,000.00	
Sundry .....	524.00		493.00		550.00	
Hospitals .....	15,930.81	8,713.74	9,472.60	4,652.48	12,000.00	6,000.00
County Home, Buildings .....	1,325.28		2,096.84		2,800.00	
Building Supplies .....	874.76		980.28		1,000.00	
Food .....	5,457.73	5,457.73	6,517.13	6,517.13	6,500.00	6,500.00
Clothing .....	717.07		1,012.74		900.00	
Farm .....	3,639.93	413.60	3,601.62	989.93	3,500.00	200.00
General .....	6,829.42	6,817.41	8,292.88	6,252.73	8,000.00	5,000.00
Fuel, Power .....	1,906.06		1,988.59		2,250.00	
Medical, etc. ....	1,384.12		1,511.66		1,600.00	
Ind. Schools .....	501.50		1,643.00		1,600.00	
Old Age Pensions and M.A....	612.03		605.40		650.00	
Grants .....	7,947.50		13,150.00		25,032.73	
	81,053.39	21,402.48	89,008.81	18,412.27	104,382.73	17,700.00
NET .....		59,650.91		70,596.54		86,682.73

# BUDGET, 1948—Continued.

## DEBENTURES—

	Actual, 1946		Actual, 1947		Budget, 1948	
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
Court House .....	873.39		917.06			
Interest .....	89.51		45.85			
King's Highways .....	10,640.06		9,245.22		9,707.48	
Interest .....	1,479.62		947.63		485.37	
NET .....	13,082.58	13,082.58	11,155.76	11,155.76	10,192.85	10,192.85

HIGHWAYS— .....	231,443.92	123,424.20	250,103.19	133,540.26	312,945.70	156,472.85
NET .....		108,019.72		116,562.83		156,472.85

## EDUCATION—

High Schools .....	17,354.97		25,219.19		36,674.88	
Vocational .....	3,718.45		5,118.07		311.42	
Examinations .....	220.20	10.00	226.02	4.00	230.00	
Sundry .....	564.80		1,250.00		1,050.00	
NET .....	21,858.42	10.00	31,813.28	4.00	38,266.30	38,266.30
		21,848.42		31,809.28		

# BUDGET. 1948—Continued.

## NET SUMMARY—

	Actual, 1946	Actual, 1947	Budget, 1948
General .....	67,612.25	73,177.19	82,634.87
Charity and Welfare .....	59,650.91	70,596.54	86,682.73
Debentures .....	13,082.58	11,155.76	10,192.85
Education .....	21,848.42	31,809.28	38,266.30
Highways .....	108,019.72	116,562.83	156,472.85
	270,213.88	303,301.60	374,249.60

# BUDGET, 1948—Continued.

## LEVY (ACTUAL)—

	Actual, 1946		Actual, 1947		Budget, 1948	
	Dr.	Cr. Rate	Dr.	Cr. rate	Dr.	Cr. rate
General .....	61,564.42	2.03	80,064.06	2.64	82,634.87	
From Surplus .....					3,329.02	
					79,305.85	2.615
Charity and Welfare .....	63,080.78	2.08	68,024.10	2.243	86,682.73	
From Surplus .....					1,766.29	
					84,916.44	2.8
Debentures .....	13,040.79	.43	11,130.11	.367	10,192.85	
From Surplus .....					33.21	
					10,159.64	.335
Highways .....	90,981.90	3.00	106,145.55	3.5	156,472.85	
From Machinery Reserve...					20,000.00	
					136,472.85	4.5
TOTAL .....	228,667.89	7.54	265,363.82	8.75	310,854.78	10.25
Education .....	21,801.63		31,827.64		38,266.30	
TOTAL LEVY .....	250,469.52		297,191.46		349,121.08	

# PREVIOUS LEVIES

	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
Charlotteville .....	26,269.50	27,165.52	28,983.63	29,418.87	25,909.46	30,976.12
Houghton .....	9,105.17	9,656.77	10,272.78	10,616.60	8,991.61	11,035.91
Middleton .....	20,055.97	21,959.57	23,248.75	23,850.09	19,260.83	22,477.47
Townsend .....	38,054.51	39,923.28	42,133.63	43,040.98	35,944.88	43,688.61
Windham .....	36,291.01	38,331.80	40,915.24	41,797.94	35,305.53	41,964.78
Woodhouse .....	29,743.50	30,606.45	32,538.42	32,917.73	28,233.07	33,291.14
North Walsingham .....	15,409.16	16,062.77	17,559.58	17,974.59	15,306.64	18,347.88
South Walsingham .....	13,711.31	14,345.57	15,634.73	15,855.05	13,919.28	16,606.89
Simcoe .....	34,944.21	35,625.38	38,924.51	39,202.43	38,276.27	44,604.99
Delhi .....	10,215.41	10,414.41	11,379.54	11,460.67	11,189.87	13,040.11
Port Dover .....	8,581.48	8,733.59	9,551.41	9,572.83	9,346.60	10,892.07
Port Rowan .....	2,720.62	2,773.75	3,031.24	3,052.77	2,980.56	3,500.70
Waterford .....	5,200.15	5,402.47	5,903.42	5,945.47	5,804.92	6,764.79
	250,401.00	261,001.33	280,126.88	284,706.02	250,469.52	297,191.46



# LEVY, 1948

	General	Charity and Welfare	Debentures	Education	Highways	Total
Charlotteville .....	7,970.25	8,534.12	1,022.44	4,982.65	13,715.55	36,225.01
Houghton .....	2,831.26	3,031.56	362.58	1,660.28	4,872.15	12,757.83
Middleton .....	5,942.06	6,362.44	761.10	4,454.58	10,225.35	27,745.53
Townsend .....	11,002.61	11,781.00	1,409.39	8,684.22	18,933.75	51,810.97
Windham .....	10,911.61	11,683.56	1,397.73	7,115.54	18,777.15	49,885.59
Woodhouse .....	8,317.00	8,905.40	1,065.36	5,637.45	14,312.25	38,237.46
North Walsingham .....	4,799.83	5,139.40	614.77	2,969.42	8,259.75	21,783.17
South Walsingham .....	4,342.47	4,649.68	556.18	2,314.12	7,472.70	19,335.15
Simcoe .....	13,130.18	14,059.08	1,681.96	237.58	22,594.95	51,703.75
Delhi .....	3,838.55	4,110.12	491.64	97.75	6,605.55	15,143.61
Port Dover .....	3,206.25	3,433.08	410.62	58.06	5,517.45	12,625.46
Port Rowan .....	1,022.46	1,094.80	130.88	18.56	1,759.50	4,026.20
Waterford .....	1,991.32	2,132.20	254.99	36.09	3,426.75	7,841.35
	79,305.85	84,916.44	10,159.64	38,266.30	136,472.85	349,121.08

